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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$54.  
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- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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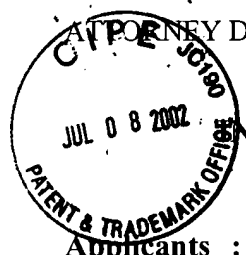
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For : METHODS TO CONTROL H<sub>2</sub>S AND ARSINE EMISSIONS

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS  
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**COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS**

I. In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application," mailed April 09, 2002, enclosed please find the following documents for the above-identified application.

- ☒ A copy of the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application – Filed Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) – Filing Date Granted."
- ☒ The original combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.

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